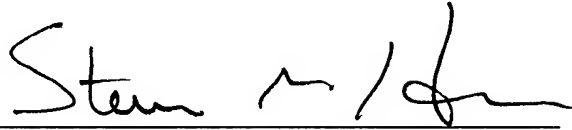


REMARKS

An office action with respect to claims 1-20 as set forth herein is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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